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THE PRINCESS OF PATCHES." "THE PRINCESS OF PATCHES."

The closing performance of the "Princes of Patches" with Dainty Estelle Allen in the stellar role takes blace this evening at Jackson's and a capacity audience should be in attendance to see very pleasing play and its exceptionally talented star. This beautiful young lady fits so well into this powerful play that it is often remarked that it fixs her like a glove. The company supporting Miss Allen is far above the average. The stage presentation is all that could be desired while the costuming is both handsome and appropriate.

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A powerful performance is the verdict of the entire press of the principal cities of America after witnessing a performance of the Jacob P. Adler all-Star Yiddish Company headed by the eminent Yiddish tragedian Mr. Jacob F. Adler and supported by Mme. Strah Adler and Miss Frances Adler and an all-star cast of popular Yiddish players. The above company will present here one of the most successful New York plays "The Stranger" written by the late Jacob Gordon. This may was produced at Adler's Grand Theatre. New York City where it had a long and successful run.

During the above performance the above mentioned players will produce types and characters which have never before been seen on any stage and understand the Yiddish language. The management of this company sucrantes as for the standard and excellence of this company and the reputation of its star. The above play will be produced in this city at Jackson's Theatre to-morrow evening for one performance only.

MR. LOUIS MANN. MR. JACOB ADLER.

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"The Man Who Stood Still," Jules Eckert Goodman's latest comady will be seen here with Mr. Louis Mann as its star on next Friday evening. The play is one that is thoroughly American and its scenes are laid in the east

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### WHO KNOWS THIS MAN?

Postmaster Marigold received a let-Postmaster Marigold received a letter this morning from M. Doyle & Sons, undertakers, of 17 E. Lee St., Battmore, Md., asking assistance in finding relatives of Edward Carrboy who died in Battimere yesterday. He was known there as Edward Carson and said that his father was a merchant tailor of Bridgeport, Conn. Any person knowing anything about the relatives of this person are requested to either write direct to Doyle & Sons, or if they will inform the postmaster he will attend to it.

## POLI'S

This week's bill at Poll's is a good one and the large audiences at every performence are showing their appreciation of the acts by liberal applause. It is the sort of a show that the public seems to like. It is varied in its program and has almost everything to please the most exacting.

Gardner & Vincent have an act that is especially pleasing and gets for these popular favorites plenty of good hearty applause. It is called "Winning a Queen," and while it is a good laugh maker, it has some very clever mechanical work in its make up and some unique transformation scenes that greatly enhances its value. It is a good clean act and very enjoyable. Homer Lind & Co. in "The Opera Singer" is one of the gems of vaudeville. Mr. Lind is one of the well known baritone singers of the country, being connected with Savage's Metropolitan Opera Company for many years. His act is a novelty and a great success.

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## **GOOD RESULTS** IN SERIUM THERAPY

Dr. Flexuer Reports 488 Recoveries Out of 712 Cases of Meningitis.

New York, Sept. 29.—Dr. Simon Flexner, Director of the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research, made an encouraging report on the present status of the serum treatment of epidemic cerebro spinal meningities at the recent meeting of the American Medical Association, at Atlantic City. His experience with the serum, which is his own discovery, was confirmed by other physicians in the course of their practice. The grand jury sworn in was as fol-

play is one that is thoroughly American and its scenes are laid in the east and its scenes are laid in the east aide district of New York city. The story is told vividly and dramatically, it is full of comedy as well but it is not allowed to run away with laughter for the author, Jules Eckert Goodman, has ureated a new type in the central figure of the play, John Krauss, the role in which Mr. Mann appears.

Lewis Hendricks will be seen in the "Man of the Hour." Another charming character in "The Man Who Stood Still" is Alice Speigel, the was last seen her had her clearheadedness helps many times in making peace between her hot beaded father and his old chum. Krauss. Seats are now on sale.

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Those who have not kept pace with the serum the course of their practices. Says the New York Medical Journal:

"Dr. Flexner said that it was now three yeare since the introduction of the serum treatment. About 700 cases had been father to the exclusion of other treatment. The disease was most fatal when it prevailed as an epidemic. It did not always present itself character in "The Man Who Stood Still" is Alice Speigel, the daughter of Krauss' crony, and her clearheadedness helps many times in making peace between her hot beaded father and his old chum. Krauss. Seats are now on sale.

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deappeared.

"In the cases in which the patient did not respond it was probable that the organisms were in some portion of the brain not reached by the serum or that there were certain strains of the organism that were resistant to

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Judge Platt Appoints Committee to Revise Admiralty Rules of Federal Courts in This District.

New Haven, Sept. 29 .- In the adjourned August term of the United States District Court, Judge J. P. Platt on the bench, of the six alleged Italian counterfeiters, Joseph Figelli, Philip Florie, Michael C. Amica, Antonio Posca, Caesar Mandra and Rocco Figlinolo, Figelli agreed to plead guilty, and was allowed to have his case continued until the December term, so that he may wind up his affairs and provide for his family in the meantime. Figelli has been out on bail for some time. Philip Florie agreed to plead guilty, and was allowed to go until today so that he also may wind up his affairs.

Caesar Mandra. Antonio Posca and Michael C. Amico plead guilty. Mandra was given two years hard labor in the U. S. penitentiary and fined \$1, Posca, one year hard labor in the county jail and fined \$1, and Amico, three years hard labor in the penitentiary and fined \$1. Figlinolo's case goes over.

The libel case of Jeremiah Smith & on the bench, of the six alleged Ital-

The libel case of Jeremiah Smith & Sons against the power boat Jennie L. Smith was assigned to a week from

Sylvester Lawrence, having been in-dicted by the grand jury for having sent obscene letters through the mails, plead guilty and was sentenced to three months hard labor in jail, with

mo costs.

Marshal F. Armstrong, the former letter carrier, of this city, charged with taking money from the malls, will, according to the statement of his counsel, Jacob P. Goodhart, plead

Men's .....

For their big carnival to be given in the Park City Rink on Oct. 8, 9, 11, the boys of the Graphophone Fire Dept. are working with vigorous en-thusiasm. Many attractions are being secured to entertain the large crowds that will surely attend, and the boys promise all who come their money's worth. If you have another engage-ments for Oct. 8, 9, 11, just cancel them and go to the Park City Rink.

NEWELL'S DANCING ACADEMY will open for the season Thursday evening, Oct. 4, for ladies and gentle-men. The classes for misses and mas-ters will meet at 3:30 Saturday, Oct. 16th. Classes meet in Masonic Tem-ple. Circulars can be had by address-ing Mr. Newell at 25 Liberty street.

SOCIALIST OPEN AIR TONIGHT. An open air meeting at Warren street and Rallroad avenue under the auspices of the Second District Socialist Club will be held this evening. Benjamin J. Legere, candidate for Alderman from the Second, will speak at 7:30. David Rabinowitz and Geo. H. Spash will also speak. Hanford B. Porter will preside as chairman.

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